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**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION  
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.322**

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.322, the patentee respectfully requests that a Certificate of Correction be issued for the above-referenced patent to correct the following errors:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

at column 2, lines 58 and 59, replace "attachment of (4—(hydroxymethyl)phenoxyethylcopoly(styrene—1% divinylbenzene(DVB) resin) beads" with —attachment of Wang resin (4—(hydroxymethyl)phenoxyethylcopoly(styrene—1% divinylbenzene(DVB) resin) beads—;

~~at column 4, line 50, replace "Sephadex<sup>R</sup>, Sepharose<sup>R</sup>" with~~  
~~—Sephadex<sup>R</sup>/Sepharose<sup>R</sup>—;~~

at column 5, line 29, between "from" and "the" delete —.—;

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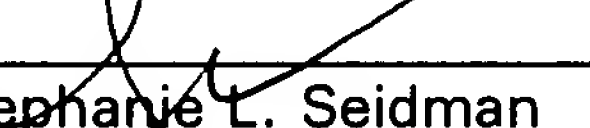
at column 10, line 30, replace "Scid-labile" with —Acid-labile—;

**REMARKS**

Duplicates of a Certificate of Correction (Form PTO-1050) incorporating the above changes are included with this Request. Since the errors appear to be those of the PTO, no fee is due. If it is determined that a fee is due, the Office is hereby authorized to charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 50-1213.

The specification is corrected to amend obvious inadvertent typographical errors introduced by the USPTO. These errors were introduced by the PTO upon issuance of the patent and entry of an amendment pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.312(a). Therefore, no new matter has been added to the specification or claims.

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**CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

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